NOTE XXXVIII.

THIRD LIST OF BIRDS FROM SOUTH WESTERN AFRICA.

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A new consignment of Birds, recently sent by Mr. van der Kellen from Gambos in the Upper Cunene Region, contains but 15 species which have not made part of the former collections and consequently are not mentioned in my two previous lists[1]. As we hardly will receive any new supply from Gambos within short, an enumeration of the species received will be allowed to be published here. The species, not contained as yet in van der Kellen's previous collections, will be marked with an asterisk. The species, hitherto sent by Mr. van der Kellen from the Upper Cunene, have now reached the number of 195.

*1. *Polyboroides typicus*, Smith.

Sharpe, Birds S. Afr. p. 9; — Boc. Orn. d'Ang. p. 7.
Nisus radiatus, Schl. Mus. P.-B., Rev. Accip. p. 100.

An adult male. — Iris dark brown, bill black, basal part and cere yellow, feet yellow.

2. *Melierax gabar* (Daud.).

Two adult males.

3. *Asturinula monogrammica* (Temm.).

Adult male and female.

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[1] See N. L. M. 1888, p. 209, and 1889, p. 65.

*4. *Circaëtus cinereus* (Vieill.).

Sharpe, Birds S. Afr. p. 43; — Boc. Orn. d'Ang. p. 34.

An adult female. — Iris yellow, bill black, feet horn-color.

*5. *Falco minor*, Bp.

Sharpe, Birds S. Afr. p. 57.
Falco communis minor, Schl. Mus. P.-B., Rev. Accip. p. 33.

A nearly adult male in transitional stage, upper surface earthy brown with new ashy gray feathers on scapulars and upper tail-coverts. — Iris brown, bill bluish, feet yellow.

6. *Cerchneis rupicola* (Daud.).

An adult male.

7. *Falco ardesiacus* (Vieill.).

An adult female.

8. *Bubo lacteus* (Temm.).

An adult male.

9. *Bubo leucotis* (Temm.).

Two males and a female.

10. *Scops capensis*, Smith.

An adult male.

11. *Noctua perlata* (Vieill.).

Four specimens.

12. *Ceryle rudis* (L.).

Two adult males.

13. *Halcyon cyanoleuca* (Vieill.).

An adult female.

14. *Lophoceros erythrorhynchus* (Gm.).

Two males and a female.

15. *Lophoceros epirhinus* (Sund.).

An adult and an immature male.

16. *Upupa africana*, Bechst.

Adult male and female.

*17. *Schizorhis concolor* (Smith).

An adult male.

18. *Centropus superciliosus* (Hempr. & Ehr.).

Boc. Orn. d'Ang. p. 150.
Centropus monachus, Schl. Mus. P.-B., Cuculi, p. 72.

A probably adult female. The long white superciliary streak and the numerous broad, white shaft-stripes on the feathers of the hind neck and mantle make it evident, that this bird really belongs to *C. superciliosus* and not to the closely allied southern *C. natalensis*, described by Shelley in Ibis 1882, p. 246. — Iris red, bill and feet black.

19. *Campothera smithii* (Malh.).

Two adult males.

20. *Mesopicus namaquus* (Licht.).

An adult male.

21. *Psittacus rueppellii*, Gray.

Four specimens.

22. *Agapornis roseicollis* (Vieill.).

Adult male and female.

23. *Turdus litsitsirupa*, Smith.

An adult female.

*24. *Monticola brevipes*, Strickl. & Sclat.

Sharpe, Birds S. Afr. pp. 221, 816; — Boc. Orn. d'Ang. p. 267.

A nearly adult male, showing on chin and throat the barred plumage of the immature bird. — Iris brown, bill and feet black.

25. *Erythropygia munda*, Cab.

An adult male.

26. *Pycnonotus layardi*, Gurney.

Adult male and female.

27. *Phyllostrophus fulviventris*, Cab.

An adult female.

28. *Crateropus melanops*, Hartl.

Adult male and female.

29. *Crateropus hartlaubi*, Boc.

An adult female.

30. *Aethocichla gymnogenys* (Hartl.).

Three adult males.

31. *Cinnyris gutturalis* (L.).

An adult male.

32. *Cinnyris leucogaster* (Vieill.).

An adult male.

*33. *Muscicapa coerulescens* (Hartl.).

Sharpe, Birds S. Afr. p. 340.

Adult male and female. The latter is entirely similar to the male. — Iris dark brown, bill and feet black.

34. *Lanius collurio*, L.

An adult female.

35. *Urolestes melanoleucus* (Jard. & Selby).

Three adult males.

36. *Laniarius sulphureipectus* (Less.).

An adult male.

37. *Laniarius atrococcineus* (Burch.).

An adult male and an immature female. The latter is with the exception of head, wing and tail, banded across with black and pale brown. Chin and abdomen show the red color of the adult stage.

38. *Dryoscopus cubla* (Levaill.).

Two adult males.

*39. *Telephonus trivirgatus*, Smith.

Boc. Orn. d'Ang. p. 224.
Laniarius trivirgatus, Sharpe, Birds S. Afr. p. 396.

Two adult males. — Iris brown, bill bluish horn-color, feet bluish gray.

40. *Nilaus brubru* (Lath.).

Two adult males.

41. *Eurocephalus anguitimens*, Smith.

Three adult males.

42. *Prionops talacoma*, Smith.

An adult male.

43. *Dicrurus assimilis* (Bechst.).

A nearly adult female, with the metallic gloss on its black plumage, the feathers on breast, abdomen, flanks and under tail-coverts very broadly tipped with pure white, giving these parts a white-spotted appearance.

44. *Oriolus larvatus*, Licht.

One specimen.

45. *Lamprotornis mewesi* (Wahlb.).

Two adult males and two females.

46. *Lamprocolius sycobius* (Licht.).

An adult male.

*47. *Vidua regia* (L.).

Sharpe, Birds S. Afr. p. 453; — Boc. Orn. d'Ang. p. 346.

Three adult females. — Iris brown, bill and feet red.

48. *Treron calva*, Temm.

Three adult specimens.

*49. *Ortygometra nigra* (Gm.).

Lymnocorax niger, Sharpe, Birds S. Afr. p. 618; — Boc. Orn. d'Ang. p. 481.

Adult male and female, and immature male. The latter is distinguished by its olive-brown plumage, especially on the upper surface, by the ashy white throat and a tinge of the same color on the chest. — Iris in adult and young dark brown, bill in adult green, feet coral-red, in young: bill horny brown, feet flesh-color.

*50. *Parra africana*, Gm.

Sharpe, Birds S. Afr. p. 648; — Boc. Orn. d'Ang. p. 477.

An adult female. — Iris brown, bill dark horny brown, feet black.

51. *Lobivanellus senegalus* (L.).

Three specimens.

52. *Chettusia coronata* (Gm.).

An adult female.

*53. *Gallinago aequatorialis*, Rüpp. 1)

Gallinago nigripennis, Sharpe, Birds S. Afr. p. 676; — Boc. Orn. d'Ang. p. 475.
Gallinago aequatorialis, Schl. Mus. P.-B., Scolopaces, p. 10.

One specimen (♂) with an exceedingly long bill, measuring 9,4 cM. — Iris brown, bill dark, more flesh-color towards the base, feet dark brown.

*54. *Totanus glottis* (L.).

Totanus canescens, Sharpe, Birds S. Afr. p. 687; — Boc. Orn. d'Ang. p. 464.

An adult female.

55. *Totanus glareola*, L.

Two adult males.

*56. *Nycticorax leuconotus* (Wagl.).

Sharpe, Birds S. Afr. p. 724; — Boc. Orn. d'Ang. p. 450.
Ardea cucullata, Schl. Mus. P.-B., Ardeae, p. 60.

An adult male. — Iris yellow, bill black, feet yellowish.

57. *Scopus umbretta*, Gm.

Two adult males.

58. *Ciconia abdimii*, Licht.

Four specimens.

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1) Confer: Seebohm, Charadriidae, p. 100 (footnote).

59. *Sarcidiornis africana*, Eyt.

An adult male.

*60. *Anas erythrorhyncha*, Gm.

Adult male and female. — Iris brown, bill dark red, feet brown.

61. *Graculus africanus* (Gm.).

An adult male.

*62. *Plotus levaillantii*, Licht.

An adult male in breeding plumage.

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